

MASTER ZEB CALDWELL DEAD.

Successor to Wound from Rifle in the Hands of Young Lady—Shocking Tragedy Thru the Popular Tent Community Into Mourning. Special to The Observer.

Concord, March 3.—Master Zeb Caldwell, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Caldwell, of the county, who was accidentally shot yesterday afternoon at Poplar Tent, died this morning at 1:30 o'clock, and the remains were laid to rest at the family burying ground at Poplar Tent churchyard this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SCHOOL DEBITORY BURNS.

Students of Crescent Academy Have a Narrow Escape—Change in Railroad Closes—New Manager of the Kessler Cotton Mills.

Saturday, March 3.—The students of Crescent Academy, who were in the city for a day, were narrowly escaped from a narrow escape when the railroad closed.

AFTERMATH OF COLUMBIA CASE.

Much Sympathy of Zimmerman and Gibson, Convicted of Uttering Forged Bonds—Attorney Makes Eloquent Appeal for Zimmerman—The Question of Church Membership Plays a Part in the Proceedings.

Observer Bureau, 1209 Main Street, Columbia, S. C., March 3. The cases against Daniel Zimmerman and T. J. Gibson, which were before the Court of General Sessions this week, have attracted much interest throughout the State, and the condition of the two defendants, once apparently allies in crime and now at enmity before the bar of justice, have elicited wide sympathy.

Last night before Judge Prince, before Zimmerman stood up to receive sentence, one of his attorneys, Senator Francis H. Weston, made an eloquent plea for his client, begging the court to be merciful in imposing sentence.

Senator Weston's allusion to Zimmerman's church membership renewed comment upon a feature of the trial of Gibson, which at the time of the little talk, Gibson was undoubtedly convicted on the testimony of his confessed accomplice, Daniel Zimmerman, and as stated by Gibson's attorney in the motion for a new trial, the law says that the testimony of a confessed accomplice must be received with caution by the jury.

CONCORD NEWS BUDET.

"The Glanman" Booked—Baseball Talk—Things in Church Circles. Concord, March 3.—In the absence of the Rev. Dr. George H. Cornelison, his place in the First Presbyterian church was filled by the Rev. Dr. J. B. Lewis, of the Southern Presbytery.

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